

NEWS OF DOUGLAS

Daily Report of Importance

Finding of Water Is Important

THE E. P. & S. W. GETS A FLOW OF WATER IN THEIR SAN BERNARDINO WELL.

This insures the Cattle Loading Pens Will Remain at That Point—Water Struck at a Depth of 678 Feet.

Yesterday water was struck in the railroad well at San Bernardino. Work on this well has been going on for several weeks, and the fact that water has been encountered gives cause for congratulation on the part of the management of the road. The water was struck at a depth of 678 feet, and the flow is estimated to amount to five or six gallons a minute.

When work began on this well it was with machinery capable of sinking to a depth of eight hundred feet, and it is understood that sinking will continue with the expectation of striking a larger flow further down. It is known that the company has considered the development of water at San Bernardino to be very necessary for the economical operation of the road. Cattle loading pens have been built at San Bernardino, and this fact made it necessary to provide water here or move the pens to some other point.

With a good supply of water at San Bernardino the necessity of pulling water cars between Douglas and Rodeo will be done away with.

New Officer for Douglas.

J. F. Roberts arrived in Douglas this morning from Jerome, and will be employed here in the future as special officer in charge of the interests of the Copper Queen mining company.

Mr. Roberts has held the position of city marshal at Jerome for more than ten years, and he comes here highly recommended as a peace officer. He will receive a commission from Sheriff Del Lewis as deputy, but his duties will be entirely connected with the interests of the mining company.

Mr. Roberts was just re-elected to the position of marshal which he held so long in Jerome, and resigned the office to come to Douglas. Mr. Roberts was pleased to meet here some of his friends of former days in Jerome, among them being S. F. McGuire and W. M. Adamson.

New Custom Officer.

Senor Enrique O. Calderon, formerly of the Mexican custom house in Naco, Sonora, has been appointed collector of customs at Agua Prieta, to succeed Antonio Larazu. Senor Ulioa is expected to arrive from Mexico City soon to assume the position of deputy collector. The receipts at the Mexican custom house are steadily increasing, and the position as collector for this district is regarded as an important one. Senor Calderon is very popular and very well liked in Naco and is said to be a wide awake officer. On the first of next July the tariff rates will be changed again.

San Juan Mine.

A report was current on the streets today that the San Juan gold mine had been sold for \$100,000. Wm. Lutley, when asked about this report, stated that it was not true. Said he: "Bennett, Sanderson and myself, the owners of the mine, have had several good offers. I am waiting here now for Los Angeles parties who desire to inspect the mine with a view to purchasing it. They have made us a good offer, but I am not at liberty to state the amount. We own 76 claims there."

Another Brick for Douglas.

Within two weeks, Mr. Lachance, of the firm of Houck & Dieter, will build a fine brick building on their property. This building will be 22x60 feet in size. Business is reported to be brisk with Houck & Dieter here, and they have sufficient confidence in Douglas and in their business here to erect a fine business block.

Baseball Interests.

Something will be doing tomorrow in baseball circles. So far twenty-one players have signed up. Out of these a first and second nine will be picked. Tomorrow morning it is expected that there will be a game between these two nines. After that there will be a better idea of the material composing the Douglas teams.

Fire Boys.

The special meeting of the Douglas fire department in connection with the Chamber of Commerce has been postponed for one week, until Saturday, May 7.

DOUGLAS LOCAL BRIEFS.

Personal and Otherwise. Gathered in the Smelter City.

The engagement of Frank Barb to Miss Ivy Green is announced.

Amos Marion, of Wilcox, who owns property in Douglas, is in the city. Miss Blanche Penhoel entertained the ladies of the Fortnightly club last night.

P. B. Zeigler, of Tucson, has let the contract for a 22 room lodging house in this city.

The cases against Barnett, Reay and the Scouts for carrying concealed weapons will come up next week. The first, that against Barnett, will be taken up Monday.

Democrats Hold Mass Meeting

MEETING HELD AT JOHNSON'S HALL, AND TWO PRIMARY TICKETS NOMINATED.

Primaries Will Be Held On May Third, Some Rivalry Manifested for Honor of Representing Smelter City.

The Douglas Democratic club has taken the initiative in the matter of electing delegates from Douglas precinct to the county convention which will meet in Tombstone on May 14, to send thirty delegates to the territorial Democratic convention which will be held on May 23.

At the mass meeting held here last night thirty names were selected to be voted for at the primary election to be held next Tuesday at Neville's hall, between the hours of four and seven p. m.

There was a large turn out of Democrats tonight. Tonight's International-American has the following:

"It is important that Douglas be represented in the county convention by fifteen men present on the floor of the convention, and that these men be selected from our representative citizens who will be able to command the attention in the work of the convention to which the importance of this city and the large Democratic vote entitles us. At the convention at Tombstone it will be decided where the county convention shall be held this fall for the nomination of the regular county ticket. This convention should be brought to Douglas, and we believe it can be done."

"Whatever is done tonight and at future meetings of the Democrats in this city should be harmoniously done, so that the interests of Douglas and the interests of the Democratic party may be promoted by a solid and united body of Democrats."

Douglas Favors No Instructions.

(Special by Telephone.)

Douglas, April 30.—The Democrats, to the number of one hundred and fifty, assembled here tonight, and the largest and most enthusiastic meeting in the history of the town was had. The hall was packed to the doors, and at time the debate was spirited. The only contest of the evening occurred over a resolution launched in the meeting shortly after it had been called to order, which attempted to pledge the delegates to be elected in advance to favor the interests of W. R. Hearst for President. The resolution was voted down almost unanimously. Those who spoke against the resolution were Judge Neville, Bo Whitesides and G. H. Kelly. The speakers did not oppose the resolution on the ground that Hearst would not be acceptable as a Presidential candidate, but argued that it was better that the delegation go to the Tombstone convention uninstructed. When the Hearst resolution was put to a vote it was defeated. Some of the candidates to be voted for at the primaries next Tuesday are as follows:

Judge Neville, E. R. Pirtle, S. F. McGuire, J. Taylor, Geo. H. Kelly, Bo Whitesides, W. M. Adamson, Jack Sparks, John Island, W. M. McNeill, C. F. Nichols, Henry Buemler and others.

Harry G. Hendrix returned last evening from an extended visit to his old home in Tempe.

Hysham Brothers are today shipping to their ranch in Moorcroft, Wyo., 60 head of horses for use on the ranch.

E. J. Stollar has let the contract to Capt. Emmons for a fine residence on Twelfth street. It will be a six room house, 41x60 feet in size.

The meetings at the Baptist tent still continue and the subject for the sermon on Sunday evening will be "Hell." All are invited.

The shooting scrape on Sixth street last night, figured in by two colored men, attracted some attention and occupied the officers. Oscar Williams, the man who is reported to have done the shooting, is said to be in Mexico, and the Mexican authorities have been notified.

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